

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it **MUST** be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Michael Huppert on June 16, 2008.

The application has been amended as follows:

In claim 1:

On line 6 delete "allowing" and change "to pass" to - - passing- - .

2. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: Choo et al. in U.S. Patent Application Publication Nos. 2002/0125232, 2002/0170896 and Kim et al. in U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2003/0052098 describe laser cutting glass. Larsson in U.S. patent No. 3,410,979 discloses focusing a laser beam through a layer of glass onto a metal plate to drill a hole in the glass. German Patent No. DE 4230811 has a glass cutter with several laser cutting heads. None of the references of record discloses or suggests, alone or in combination, "irradiating a first laser beam and a second laser beam composed of an ultraviolet laser from a side of the second glass member, the first laser beam passing through the second glass member to condense

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the first laser beam on the first glass member to form a first scribe line, condensing the second laser beam on the second glass member to form a second scribe line...".

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

3. Entry of the Substitute Specification of 10 March 2008 is approved.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Geoffrey S. Evans whose telephone number is (571)-272-1174. The examiner can normally be reached on Mon-Fri 7:00AM to 3:30 PM (flexible).

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Tu Hoang can be reached on (571)-272-4780. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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